

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: MILLS et al.) Confirmation No. 2666
Application No.: 09/970,958)
Filing Date: 10/4/2001) Group Art Unit: 3692
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR) Examiner: Nga B. Nguyen
CLEARING AUTOMOBILE)
CONTRACTS)
) AMENDMENT and RESPONSE to June
) 5, 2007 Non-Final Office Action
) Docket No.: G10.007
) PTO Customer Number 67338
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Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed June 5, 2007, please amend
the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 17 of this paper.